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Romance of Industry.

There is now and then something romantic connected with the vast developments that are going on in West Virginia at the present time, and we know of nothing more so than the erection of a pulp and paper mill on the farm in Randolph county belonging to L. D. Carrick, on which is located Carrick's Ford, where one of the sharpest fights in the war between the states took place, and where General Garnet lost his life. These fields once ploughed by the cannon ball and whose surrounding forests were chipped by the minnie ball, are now, after the lapse of thirty-five years, to be employed in sustaining life by giving work to many people, and whose sod at one time was drenched with the blood of the brave—north and south.

At last Peace has demonstrated, in this occurrence, that her victories are no less renowned than war. The battlefield wiped out with all its memories by the smoking chimneys of industry, and where now the workman's blouse is seen instead of the travel-stained uniform. This is going on in other sections of the south, and soon the glad day will come when every battlefield will see the campfires of prosperity gleaming like stars at night, joyously proclaiming a new birth of the freedom of men, just as the astral forerunner once showed the Wise Men where "the Child, Jesus, lay," whose mission was "peace on earth, good will to all men."

These new mills in Randolph county will employ when completed, nearly 200 men. In Mineral county, according to our correspondent, the hum of industry has become ceaseless; new enterprises are being planned, while others are in process of erection. With all these great blessings laid in our lap through the instrumentalities of the Republican party it is possible that the people will risk a change? The Intelligencer thinks not.

Voice From the Tomb.

Since that splendid soldier and pure American patriot, General Lawton, who was killed in the Philippines, left as a legacy to the patriots of this country a letter in which he accused the Atkinson-Bryan cabal of aiding the rebellious Filipinos, and with being responsible for the death of every American soldier shot by the rebels, there has been a disposition to throw discredit on the authenticity of the letter. Such vile insinuations, however, were speedily condemned by the greater part of the people of the United States. But here comes corroboration of Lawton's words: Grant A. White was captain of Company B, First Arkansas Volunteers, in the war with Spain. Last fall he received a commission as lieutenant in the Thirty-third regiment of volunteers and went to Luzon. Last Wednesday his death was reported by General Otis. A letter from him to Governor Jones, of Arkansas, is printed by the St. Louis Globe-Democrat. It was written at Anguin, in northern Luzon, February 12. Lieutenant White congratulates Governor Jones on being an expansionist. He then relates the surrender of General Conception and staff. "Two members of the staff," he writes, "spoke good English, and the very first question they asked after business was over was: 'Will Mr. Bryan be elected President in December?' They seem to be mixed in their dates and thought an election was pending. They expressed great solicitude for Mr. Bryan and called him their 'good friend' several times."

In reply to a discrediting paragraph in a St. Louis Democratic paper of January 9, which stated that the report of Aguinaldo issuing a proclamation calling on all friends of the insurrection to stand firm as "Our good friend, William J. Bryan" is certain to be elected, had no truth whatever in it. Lieutenant White asserts, "I have seen these proclamations time after time in my camp after Aggie. He shed them all along the line, and while I can't read much Spanish I could make out the names of Bryan and Atkinson, also Mason, Hoar and a number of other 'Buen Amigos.'"

His righteous anger rises in contemplation of the "aunties" at home, giving aid and comfort to an enemy of their country. He says: "It makes a man want to get a few days' leave and go back and buck and gag a few 'shining lights of American statecraft.' Every fight we have is directly attributed to the encouragement given the enemy by these men, and every one of our men killed owes his death to them, for Aguinaldo is whipped, and knows it, and only hangs on desperately, hoping that his 'friends' will manage some way to help him out, and not realizing that only a few men are making all the noise. It would be different if he was really fighting for liberty. He is fighting for the supremacy of the Tagal race, which is the only one in favor of the insurrection, and the subversion of all others, and he is fighting for a crown."

And among these "good friends" of Aguinaldo is Bryan, the man who is to carry the standard of Democracy this year, opposed to so-called imperialism and everything that has so far been gained by the shedding of the blood of hundreds of American soldiers, and the killing of the two patriots who have left testimony to plague this negative party. Will the American people flock to Bryan or McKinley? Most unquestionably they will rally around the latter. They can have no sympathy with Bryan.

Negatively Moral.
The attention of the Intelligencer has been called to an editorial paragraph in the Register, Wednesday, which escaped notice, in which that paper, as usual, misrepresents the Republican party. Generally it is unnecessary to worry over the matter, for the political utterances of that journal are always taken at a liberal discount, but this case is very plainly an intentional effort to discredit the action of council Tuesday night in refusing to license those applicants for liquor licenses who were turned down by the committee on petitions and remonstrances. It seeks to belittle the splendid victory for decency and law and order by stating that a loophole was left, and that in a short time licenses would be granted these same men, who would come up with "guarantees" provided in the committee's report. There is not one word of truth in that assertion. The names of two men were stricken from the committee's report, and they were granted licenses. The time honored offenders were bunched. Mr. Marschner's motion was "that they be granted licenses." The vote in the second branch was 15 to 5 against the motion, and the first branch concurred in this action by a vote of 8 to 5.

These men will not get licenses again except through some dark room manipulation of the law, encouraged by the Register.

The position taken by the Intelligencer was free from any political bias, in fact some of the gentlemen denied licenses are Republicans. The desire of this paper was for a higher standard in the character of the saloon-keepers of the city. For taking this position it has been privately commended by those who run their saloons with some reference to the restrictions contained in their licenses. How much better would it have been for the Register to have joined the Intelligencer in fighting the recalcitrant saloon-keepers, than to have remained negatively moral in its professions, and in now rejoicing over the probability that the good work done will be circumvented in some manner.

False Accusers.
To show the animus that has prompted the most bitter attacks on President Raymond, of the West Virginia University, it is only necessary to refer to the retraction of one of his venomous assailants with regard to the regularity with which the University obtained, as a donation, a magnificent pipe organ. This Morgantown paper, ably seconded in abuse and epithet by a Democratic journal at Fairmont, from which the Intelligencer expected better things, regardless of the truth, knowingly and purposely, not only intimated, but with dogmatic assertion claimed that the donors were fictional, and that Dr. Raymond, himself, ordered the organ in the hope of having the bill paid at a future time by the board of regents.

This charge, having no foundation except possibly in the interminable gossip that has vilified the air of Morgantown, is refuted by a publication in the Morgantown paper—a pill that must have gagged it in swallowing—what says:

"The donation of the big organ to the University has caused a great deal of speculation as to who the donors were and it has been broadly intimated in some quarters that they were fictitious persons. This paper is in possession of information to the effect that the donors are all right and that they will present the organ to the institution, and no one need to trouble further about it. The organ is a very handsome gift."

Dr. Raymond may have some faults, but we do not think they are present in greater degree than in those who are vilifying him. In any event he is entitled to fair treatment. Back wound in calumny the whitest virtue strikes, and it impresses the Intelligencer that this organ episode is thoroughly discreditable to the manhood of those who concocted the fiction.

Senator Pettus, who was induced by Col. John T. McGraw to kick against the seating of Senator Scott, when the other members of the committee could see no grounds for such action, got real mad yesterday when some of his brother senators attempted to correct his misstatements. Pettus has evidently been loaded up with a lot of sophistry by the "Knight of the Purple Pen."

Chairman Dawson, of the Republican state committee, announces in the local columns this morning that he has arranged for reduced rates on all railroads in the state for transportation to the state convention to be held at Fairmont, May 8, to select delegates to the Philadelphia convention. The time extension of the tickets is quite liberal.

The Preston county primaries were rather interesting. The county Republican organization candidate for sheriff was selected over the opposition candidate by 1,350 majority. This shows the interest manifested, nearly 3,000 votes being polled.

State Senator Flournoy has dropped from an active into a receptive candidate for the Democratic nomination for governor. In other words he is in "the hands of his friends." So is Judge Tavenner.

Only a few more hours of trouble for the candidates, and then for the successful men more, and long continued trouble.

It is of supreme importance this year that the very best nominees be made

by the Republican party. This applies more to the selections for board of commissioners than any other class of officers to be voted for at to-morrow's primaries, outside of the sheriff, assessors and prosecuting attorney. It quite often happens that in the excitement attending the contest for the larger offices these apparently small ones are neglected. Good men in the board of commissioners are just as vital to good government as the sheriff or prosecutor—more so.

The attempted defeat of that patriarch of Pennsylvania Republicanism, Galusha A. Grow, by the angered Quakers, was one of the most painful incidents in the checkered politics of that state.

It only took the determined initiative of the United States to stiffen the backbone of the European powers to call for the immediate settlement of their just dues from Turkey.

Now don't stay away from the primaries, and then register your kick on every corner over some bad nomination that you and your friends could have defeated.

STORYETTES.

As a rule, Joseph Jefferson never gave the members of his company, but Congressman Kahn, who was formerly in his support, tells of one occasion when the venerable actor yielded to the temptation. "The Rivals" was the play and everything proceeded smoothly until the scene was reached in which Falkland, Capt. Absolute and Bob Acres have a wordy altercation. At this point the actor playing Falkland wanted violently and finally, in a burst of anger, slammed a door as he made his exit. It is part of the business for Capt. Absolute to say at this juncture, "Poor Falkland!" He did so, and Mr. Jefferson promptly replied, "The poorest I ever saw!"

James Russell Lowell was a great student of dialect. One day, while in England, he entered a South Shields restaurant and sat down opposite a barfetched Shields yokel, who had been walking and whose feet were tired. "Walter," he said, "bring me a steak and fried potatoes." The yokel leaned his elbows upon the table. "Bring me yan tee," he said. "Bring me a cup of coffee and rolls," continued Lowell. "Bring me yan tee," said the yokel. "And, John, you may bring me a boot jack," said Mr. Lowell. "Bring me yan tee," added the yokel. "Why, what on earth can you want with a bootjack?" asked Lowell, surprised into asking the question. The retort nearly took away his breath. "Gan away, ye fule," said the yokel; "d'yo think I canna eat a bootjack as well as ye?"

Justice Brewer, of the supreme court, the other day told a story of an Indiana justice of the peace who owned a farm. One line of his fence formed a boundary of the states of Indiana and Ohio. Like other in rural districts who hold that office, he had an abnormal appreciation of the responsibility of the office, and never lost an opportunity to exercise his prerogative of demanding that the peace be preserved. One day his son and his hired man got to fighting on a stretch of the farm near the boundary fence and the justice of the peace rushed out and mounted the fence. Then, with head cocked high and the air of one who has but to command, he shouted: "In the name of the state of Indiana I demand the preservation of the peace!" Just then the fence gave way under his weight and, as he went down with the fence toppling over to the Ohio side, he shouted to his son: "You there, the mischief, Jim! I've lost my jurisdiction!"

Minnesota's Fish Census.

Minneapolis Tribune: The state game and fish commission has prepared a statement regarding the kinds of fish found in every lake stream in Minnesota. The work is the result of a laborious undertaking by the wardens of the commission, and the details are enumerated; the fish found therein, and kinds, and the comparative abundance, as far as can be estimated, given. Furthermore, sportmen will be told by the commission whether the water is clear or muddy, good for game fish or better for other species, and details of the abundance of food fish.

It is expected that this statement will be of advantage in keeping the lakes stocked, and that hereafter prosecutions for violations of the law will be easier, as the culprits will not be able to swear that the fish was caught in international waters.

At Law Over a Cat.

Cincinnati Enquirer: WABASH, Ind., April 11.—A curious suit to determine the ownership of a cat has just ended at Bluffton. Mrs. M. K. Daily, of that place, was the owner of a large white Thomas cat, which was regarded as a great family pet. Without cause, so Mrs. Daily alleges, the cat strayed to the home of Morris Sawyer, and took up his quarters there, forsaking Mrs. Daily. Demand was made on Mrs. Sawyer for the surrender of the cat, and she peremptorily refused. Then replevin proceedings were begun, and an expense of \$20 Mrs. Daily got a writ, and a constable went after the wayward Thomas and carried him back to the Daily domicile in triumph. Mrs. Sawyer threatens to carry the litigation to determine the ownership of the cat to the Wells circuit court.

Their Wedding Journey.

Decorations and unique inscriptions on a wedding trunk in an express wagon amused a crowd of men and women yesterday at Broadway and Thirtieth street. Nothing like it had ever been seen before, at least in Broadway. The trunk—a large one—was trimmed with numerous bows of white and green lace and the proverbial old shoe was attached to one of the handles. But the novelty that created laughter was the two heart-shaped cardboard tacked on the side of the trunk. On each of these was inscribed:

Two souls with but a single thought,
Two hearts that beat as one.

TOM and KIT.

They're on their wedding trip.

Please let them alone.

—New York Sun.

An Example and a Warning.

Chicago Daily News: "I'm afraid," said the patient wife, "that yours will be the fate of Abel."

"Why, what do you mean?" asked the astonished husband.

"Well," she replied, "Abel was killed by a club, and your club will be the death of you if you don't come home oftener."

Fame Sure; Fortune Possible.

Mr. Held Sapp, of this city, is about to start for Cape Nome.—New York Sun.

Rheumatism Cured in a Day.

"My dear cure" for Rheumatism and Neuralgia radically cures in 1 to 3 days. Its action upon the system is remarkable and mysterious. It removes at once the cause and the disease immediately disappears. The first dose greatly benefits. 75 cents. Sold by R. H. List, 1010 Main street, Chas. Menckemeyer, corner Market and Twenty-second streets, druggists. mw&f

Facing the Future.

There comes a time to most women when they must face the future of widowhood and motherhood. What that future has in store for them depends largely upon themselves. To a healthy woman the obligations and consequences of marriage are a lasting happiness.



To a woman suffering from irregularity of other ailments, of the sex, marriage may prove a mockery and motherhood a misery. Where such irregularity exists Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription can be used with the assurance that health will speedily be restored. It is the most reliable medicine known to medical science for the cure of diseases which affect the delicate womanly organs.

"Favorite Prescription" is a non-alcoholic medicine and is also free from opium cocaine and other narcotics.

"At an early stage of married life," writes Mrs. Flora Ann of Dallas, Jackson Co., Mo., "I was greatly bothered with painful periods, so a troublesome drain which rendered me very weak and unfit for work of any kind. I became so thin that there was nothing left of me but skin and bone. My husband became alarmed and got me a bottle of 'Favorite Prescription.' After we took two more, and after I used those up there was no more pain, and I began to gain in flesh very rapidly. I owe all praise to Dr. Pierce and his wonderful curative medicines."

Dr. Pierce's Medical Adviser sent free on receipt of stamps to pay cost of mailing only. Send 21 one-cent stamps for book in paper covers, or 31 stamps in cloth to Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

Trying to scale a precipice is but a game of bluff.

Many a man who was born to succeed dies of heart failure.

A gratuitous falsehood is probably one that gives itself away.

Dignity may stoop to conquer, but it never grovels in the dust.

Don't think because a corporation has no soul it is on its uppers.

True friends should be selected because of the good looks they haven't got.

A man likes to be credited with some great feat—and a woman with small feet.

An old bachelor says that widows are the only second-hand articles that sell at par.

The average man appreciates his wife's temper so much that he doesn't like to have her lose it.

Every time a woman sees a door marked "private" she has a curiosity to know what is on the other side of it.

If a man has a good scheme and makes money out of it people call him a genius; if he loses they call him a fool.

A woman can make a mental inventory of another woman's attire in half a minute—but she usually wastes a whole afternoon in telling her neighbors the details.—Chicago Daily News.

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR.

The first time a girl kisses a man on the mouth she gets gooseflesh.

Men are born equal, but some girl babies have more hair on than others.

Table etiquette was invented so people couldn't be comfortable enough to eat too much.

If a woman is cleverer than a man he's always afraid to marry her, and if a man is cleverer than a woman he never wants to.

The first trouble in the Garden of Eden was caused by Eve making Adam whistle out a bow and arrow for little Cain, so she could paint him as Cupid.—New York Press.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by Catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

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Hall's Family Pills are the best.

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VISITOR to the Pythian Castle Fair,

don't fail to ask for "BILL."

Last Mid-winter Excursion to Wash-

ington and Baltimore, Via B. & O. Thursday, April 12. Fare for the round trip, \$10. Tickets good ten days.

Ocean Steamship Tickets

To and from Europe, via all lines, can be purchased from T. C. Burke, Passenger and Ticket Agent of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, who is also agent for the best of all tours—Ireland and Whitcomb—to the Paris exposition.

Opening of Navigation.

The Detroit & Cleveland Navigation Company have commenced daily service between Cleveland & Detroit. The Cleveland Special via Wheeling & Lake Erie, leaving Wheeling 5:15 p. m., makes direct connection with boats for Detroit.

FAMILY WASHING.

Rough Dry Washed, Starched and Dried 6 cents per pound.

Flat Work Washed and Ironed, 5 cents per pound.

All hand work finished 10 cents per pound. At LUTZ BROS.

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Farce,

WHY SMITH LEFT HOME.

Exceptionally Strong Cast.
Prices, 25, 50, 75c and \$1.00. Reserved seat sale opens Thursday morning at the Opera House box office.

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LOCAL STAGE EMPLOYEES BENEFIT.

The Distinguished Comedienne,
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THREE DISTINCT PLAYS.....

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OLE OLSON.

Big supporting company. Night prices, 15, 25, 35 and 50 cents. Matinee prices, 15, 25 and 35 cents. ap23

POLITICAL.

OFFICIAL CALL.

First District Republican Congressional and Delegate Conventions.

The Republican voters of the First Congressional District are hereby notified that a convention for the purpose of nominating a candidate to represent the district in the Congress of the United States, will be held at Weston, W. Va., Wednesday, June 6, 1900, beginning at 1 o'clock p. m.

Also a convention for the purpose of selecting two delegates and two alternates to represent the said district in the National Republican Convention, to be held at Philadelphia, Pa., to nominate a candidate for President and Vice President, to be voted for at the ensuing presidential election, will be held at Clarkburg, W. Va., Monday, May 7, 1900, beginning at 3 o'clock p. m.

The basis of representation, to prevent confusion will be the same as that for the state nominating convention, to-wit: One vote for every one hundred votes cast for G. W. Atkinson for governor in 1896, and one for every fraction of one hundred over fifty.

County committees are requested to provide for the selection of delegates to each of said conventions.

S. G. SMITH, Chairman.

HUGO L. LOOS, Secretary.

REPUBLICAN CALENDAR.

April 23—Ohio County Primary Election.

May 1—First Congressional District Delegate Convention, at Clarkburg.

May 8—State Delegate Convention, Fairmont.

June 6—First Congressional District Nominating Convention, Weston.

July 12—State Nominating Convention, Charleston.

Republican Primary Election.

The Republican Primary Election, which will be conducted under the Act of the Legislature of 1891, entitled an act "Regulating the holding of caucuses, primary elections, caucuses or public meetings of cities, towns, counties and districts, for political purposes," will be held on Saturday, April 28, 1900, as follows: In Washington, Clay, Union, Centre, Webster and Ritchie districts from the hours of 11 o'clock a. m. to 7 o'clock p. m., and in Triadelphia, Liberty and Highland districts from 1 o'clock p. m. to 7 o'clock p. m.

The following will be elected: Seven (7) delegates to the State Nominating Convention from each of the city districts, and six (6) from each of the country districts.

One candidate for the Board of County Commissioners from each district.

One candidate for School Commissioner from each of the following districts: Madison, Union, Centre, Triadelphia, Liberty and Highland.

Two candidates for School Commissioner from each of the following districts: Washington, Clay, Webster and Ritchie.

One member of the County Executive Committee from each district.

Two candidates for Justice of the Peace from each district.

Two candidates for County Constable from each district.

The voting places will be as follows: WASHINGTON DISTRICT:—

Old Jail, No. 127 East street.

CLAY DISTRICT:—

No. 162 McCulloch street.

MADISON DISTRICT:—

Seventh Ward, School House.

HAYES, N. E. corner of South Penn and Ohio streets.

CLAY DISTRICT:—

Old Jail, No. 127 East street.

UNION DISTRICT:—

Police Court Room.</